# ON THE TWO q-ANALOGUE ${f LOGARITHMIC\ FUNCTIONS:\ \ln_q(w),\ \ln\{e_q(z)\}}$

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#### Abstract

There is a simple, multi-sheet Riemann surface associated with  $e_q(z)$ 's inverse function  $ln_q(w)$  for  $0 < q \le 1$ . A principal sheet for  $ln_q(w)$  can be defined. However, the topology of the Riemann surface for  $ln_q(w)$  changes each time q increases above the collision point  $q_{\tau}^*$  of a pair of the turning points  $\tau_i$  of  $e_q(x)$ . There is also a power series representation for  $ln_q(1+w)$ . An infinite-product representation for  $e_q(z)$  is used to obtain the ordinary natural logarithm  $ln\{e_q(z)\}$  and the values of the sum rules  $\sigma_n^e \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i}\right)^n$  for the zeros  $z_i$  of  $e_q(z)$ . For  $|z| < |z_1|$ ,  $e_q(z) = exp\{b(z)\}$  where  $b(z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^e z^n$ . The values of the sum rules for the q-trigonometric functions,  $\sigma_{2n}^c$  and  $\sigma_{2n+1}^s$ , are q-deformations of the usual Bernoulli numbers.

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## 1 Introduction:

The ordinary exponential and logarithmic functions find frequent and varied applications in all fields of physics. Recently in the study of quantum algebras, the q-exponential function [1] or mapping  $w = e_q(z)$  has reappeared [2-4] from a rather dormant status in mathematical physics. This order-zero entire function can be defined by

$$e_q(z) \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{[n]!} \tag{1}$$

where

$$[n] = \frac{q^{n/2} - q^{-n/2}}{q^{1/2} - q^{-1/2}} \tag{2}$$

The series in Eq.(1) converges uniformly and absolutely for all finite z. Since [n] is invariant under  $q \to 1/q$ , for real q it suffices to study  $0 < q \le 1$ . The q-factorial is defined by  $[n]! \equiv [n][n-1] \cdots [1]$ ,  $[0]! \equiv 1$ . As  $q \to 1$ ,  $e_q(z) \to exp(z)$  the ordinary exponential function.

In [5], we reported some of the remarkable analytic and numerical properties of the infinity of zeros,  $z_i$ , of  $e_q(x)$  for x < 0. In particular, as q increases above the first collision point at  $q_z^* \approx 0.14$ , these zeros collide in pairs and then move off into the complex z plane, see Fig. 1. They move off as (and remain) a complex conjugate pair  $\mu_{A,\bar{A}}$ . The turning points of  $e_q(z)$ , i.e. the zeros of the first derivative  $e_q'(z) \equiv de_q(z)/dx$ , behave in a similar manner. For instance, at  $q_\tau^* \approx 0.25$  the first two turning points,  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$ , collide and move off as a complex conjugate pair  $\tau_{A,\bar{A}}$ .

In this paper, we first show that there is a simple, multi-sheet Riemann surface associated with  $w = e_q(z)$ 's inverse function  $z = ln_q(w)$ . As with the usual ln(w) function, the Riemann surface of  $z = ln_q(w)$  defines a single-valued map onto the entire complex z plane. Also, as in the usual case when q = 1, a principal sheet for  $z = ln_q(w)$  can be defined. However, unlike for the ordinary

ln(w) and exp(z), the topology of the Riemann surface for  $ln_q(w)$  changes each time q increases above the collision point  $q_{\tau}^*$  of a pair of the turning points  $\tau_i$  of  $e_q(z)$ . The turning points of  $e_q(z)$  can be used to define square-root branch points of  $ln_q(w)$  in the complex w plane, i.e.  $b_i = e_q(\tau_i)$ .

In Sec. 3, we obtain a power series representation for  $ln_q(1+w)$ .

In the mathematics and physics literature<sup>3</sup>, one also finds the exponential function  $E_q(z)$  defined by Jackson[7-8]. It also is given by Eq.(1) but with [n] replaced by  $[n]_J$  where

$$[n]_J = q^{(n-1)/2}[n] = \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q} \tag{3}$$

For q > 1,  $E_q(z)$  has simpler properties<sup>4</sup>than  $e_q(z)$ . We also construct the Riemann surface for its inverse function  $Ln_q(w)$ . With the substitution  $[n] \to [n]_J$ , the power series representation for  $ln_q(1+w)$  also holds for  $Ln_q(1+w)$ .

Second, in Sec. 4, we use the infinite-product representation [5] for  $e_q(z)$  to (i) obtain the ordinary natural logarithm  $\ln\{e_q(z)\}$ , and to (ii) evaluate for arbitrary integer n > 0 the sum rules

$$\sigma_n^e \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i}\right)^n \tag{4}$$

for the zeros  $z_i$  of  $e_q(z)$ . Therefore, for c-number arguments

$$e_q(x)e_q(y) = \exp\{b(x) + b(y)\}$$
 (5)

where b(x) is defined below in Eq.(20). For  $|z| < |z_1|$  the modulus of the first zero,

$$b(z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^e z^n \tag{6}$$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Recent reviews of quantum algebras are listed in [6].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> For 0 < q < 1,  $E_q(z)$  is a meromorphic function whose power series converges uniformly and absolutely for  $|z| < (1-q)^{-1}$  but diverges otherwise. However by the relation,  $E_s(x)E_{1/s}(-x) = 1$  for s real, results for q > 1 can be used for 0 < q < 1, see Ref. [5].

We also obtain the logarithms and values of the associated sum rules for all derivatives and integrals of  $e_q(x)$ , and for the associated q-trigonometric functions [1,5]  $\cos_q(z)$  and  $\sin_q(z)$ . These results also hold for the analogous functions involving  $[n]_J$ .

Sec. 5 contains some concluding remarks. In particular, the values of the sum rules for the q-trigonometric functions,  $\sigma_{2n}^c$  and  $\sigma_{2n+1}^s$ , are q-deformations of the usual Bernoulli numbers.

# 2 Riemann Surfaces of q-Analogue Logarithmic

# Functions $ln_q(w)$ and $Ln_q(w)$ :

For two reasons, we begin by first analyzing the Riemann surface associated with the mapping of Jackson's exponential function  $w = u + iv = E_q(z)$  and of its inverse  $z = x + iy = Ln_q(w)$ . First, the generic structure of the Riemann surface for  $Ln_q(w)$  for  $q^E > 1$  is the same as that for  $ln_q(w)$  for  $q^e < (q^* \approx 0.14)$ . Second, as  $q^e$  varies the topology of the Riemann surface changes for  $ln_q(w)$  but the topology remains invariant for  $Ln_q(w)$  for all  $q^E > 1$ . Normally we will suppress the superscripts "E or e" on the q's for there should be no confusion.

## 2.1 Riemann surface for $Ln_q(w)$ :

Figs. 2 and 3 show the Riemann sheet structure and the mappings of Jackson's exponential function  $w = E_q(z)$  and of its inverse  $z = Ln_q(w)$  for  $q^E \approx 1.09$ . These figures suffice for illustrating the Riemann sheet for all q > 1 because the zeros and turning points of  $E_q(z)$  do not collide, but simply move along the negative x axis and out to infinity as  $q \to 1$ .

These figures also illustrate the Riemann surface for  $w = e_q(z)$  and  $z = ln_q(w)$  but only prior

to the collision of the first pair of zeros at  $q \approx 0.14$ .

Notice that the imaginary part  $Im\{e_q(z)\}=0$  on all "solid" contour lines in Fig. 2b whereas the real part  $Re\{e_q(z)\}=0$  on all "dashed" contour lines. The turning points in the complex z plane are denoted by small dark squares, whereas their associated branch points in w are denoted by small dark circles.

Numerically, for  $q^E \approx 1.09$ , the first 4 zeros of  $E_q(z)$  are located at -12.1111, -13.2011, -14.3892, -15.6842. The first 4 turning points and  $Ln_q(w)$ 's branch points  $(b_i \text{ in } 10^{-11} \text{ units})$  are respectively at  $(\tau_i, b_i) = (-12.4, -43), (-13.6, 5.0), (-14.9, -1.8), (-16.3, 4.4)$ . Since  $q^E \approx 1$ , the asymptotic formula in [5] for  $\tau_i^E$  is a bad approximation for these values.

Figures for the lower-sheets of a Riemann surface w are omitted in this paper since they simply have the conjugate structures, per the Schwarz reflection principle.

## 2.2 Riemann surface for $ln_q(w)$ :

For  $q \ll 0.14$ , Figs. 1-3 also show the topology and branch point structure for the mappings  $w = e_q(z)$  and its inverse  $z = ln_q(w)$ .

Figs. 4-5 are for after the collision of the first pair of zeros of  $e_q(z)$  but prior to the collision of the first pair of its turning points, so the structure shown is generic for 0.14 < q < 0.25. Note that  $w_A = e_q(\mu_A) = 0$  occurs as an analytic point for  $w = e_q(z)$  which is not possible for the ordinary exp(z) in the finite z plane.

Numerically, Figs. 4-5 are for  $q \approx 0.22$ ; the first 2 zeros of  $e_q(z)$  are located at  $\mu_A = -2.51 + i0.87$ ,  $\mu_{\bar{A}} = \bar{\mu_A}$ . The first 2 turning points and  $ln_q(w)$ 's branch points ( $b_i$  in  $10^{-3}$  units) are respectively at  $(\tau_i, b_i) = (-2.6, 47.70), (-4.7, 69.36)$ .

Figs. 6-8 are for after the collision of the first pair of turning points of  $e_q(z)$ . The topology of the Riemann surface has a new inter-surface structure due to this collision; the figures and their captions explain this new structure. In particular versus Fig. 5, following the collision at  $q_{\tau}^* \approx 0.25$ , there no longer exists the  $b_1 - b_2$  passage from the lower-half of the principal w sheet to the first lower w sheet. Instead, the  $b_A$  passages are to the second upper w sheet.

Numerically, Figs. 6-8 are for  $q \approx 0.35$ . The first 2 zeros of  $e_q(z)$  are now located at  $\mu_A = -2.8222 + i1.969$ ,  $\mu_{\bar{A}} = \bar{\mu_A}$ ; the third zero remains on the negative real axis at  $\mu_3 = -5.19755$ . The first 4 turning points and  $ln_q(w)$ 's branch points  $(b_i \text{ in } 10^{-3} \text{ units})$  are respectively at  $(\tau_i, b_i) = (-3.5434 \pm i1.32945, 22.2415 \pm i18.79), (-6.3471, -9.09587), (-10.7028, 87.536)$ . In Figs. 7-8, for clarity of illustration, the position of  $b_A$  has been displaced from its true position.

# 3 Power Series Representations for $\ln_q(1+w)$

and  $Ln_q(1+w)$ :

To obtain the power series for  $\ln_q(1+w)$ , we write

$$\ln_{q}(1+w) = c_{1}w + c_{2}w^{2} + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_{n}w^{n}$$
(7)

Then for  $a = \ln_q(1+w)$ ,

$$e_q^a = 1 + a + \frac{a^2}{[2]!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + w$$
(8)

So by equating coefficients, we find

$$c_{1} = 1$$

$$c_{n} = -\sum_{l=2}^{n} \frac{1}{[l]!} \left\{ \sum_{(k_{1}, k_{2}, \dots k_{l})} c_{k_{1}} c_{k_{2}} \cdots c_{k_{l}} \right\}, n \ge 2$$

$$(9)$$

In order to follow later expressions in this paper, it is essential to understand the second summation  $\sum_{(k_1,k_2,\cdots k_l)}$ :

In it, each  $k_i$  = "positive integer", i = 1, 2, ... l.

 $(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)$  denotes that, for fixed n and l, the summation is the symmetric permutations of each partition of n which satisfy the condition " $k_1 + k_2 + \dots k_l = n$ ".

For instance, for n = 4:

$$\sum_{(k_1,k_2,k_3,k_4)} c_{k_1} c_{k_2} c_{k_3} c_{k_4} = \{c_1 c_1 c_1 c_1\} = (c_1)^4$$

$$\sum_{(k_1,k_2,k_3)} c_{k_1} c_{k_2} c_{k_3} = \{c_1 c_1 c_2 + c_1 c_2 c_1 + c_2 c_1 c_1\} = 3c_1 c_1 c_2$$

$$\sum_{(k_1,k_2)} c_{k_1} c_{k_2} = \{c_2 c_2\} + \{c_1 c_3 + c_3 c_1\} = (c_2)^2 + 2c_1 c_3$$
(10)

This power series for  $\ln_q(1+w)$  is expected to converge only for some w domain, e.g. for  $w \le$  "modulus of distance to the nearest branch point". Note that as  $q \to 0$ ,  $w = e_q(z) \to w = 1+z$  and  $z = \ln_q(w) \to z = w-1$ , so  $e_q\{\ln_q(w)\} \to e_q\{w-1\} \to w$ .

Thus, the first few terms give

$$\ln_{q}(1+w) = w - \frac{1}{[2]!}w^{2} - \left\{\frac{1}{[3]!} - \frac{2}{[2]![2]!}\right\}w^{3} \\
- \left\{\frac{1}{[4]!} - \frac{2}{[2]!}\left(\frac{1}{[3]!} - \frac{2}{[2]![2]!}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{3} - \frac{3}{[3]![2]!}\right\}w^{4} + \dots \\
= w - \frac{1}{[2]!}w^{2} - \left\{\frac{1}{[3]!} - 2\left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{2}\right\}w^{3} \\
- \left\{\frac{1}{[4]!} - \frac{5}{[3]![2]!} + 5\left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{3}\right\}w^{4} + \dots$$
(11)

Notice that here the q-derivative operation defines a new function,  $d \ln_q(w)/d_q w \equiv \ln_q(w)' \neq \frac{1}{w}$ ,

because it does not yield a known q-special function since

$$\frac{d}{d_q w} \ln_q(1+w) = 1 - w - \left\{ \frac{1}{[2]!} - 2[3] \left( \frac{1}{[2]!} \right)^2 \right\} w^2 - \left\{ \frac{1}{[3]!} - \frac{5[4]}{[3]![2]!} + 5[4] \left( \frac{1}{[2]!} \right)^3 \right\} w^3 + \cdots$$
(12)

unlike [5] for  $e_q(z)$ ,  $\cos_q(z)$ , and  $\sin_q(z)$ .

# 4 Natural Logarithms and Sum Rules for $e_q(z)$

# and Related Functions:

By the Hadamard-Weierstrass theorem, it was shown in Ref.[5] that the following order-zero entire functions have infinite product representations in terms of their respective zeros:

$$e_q(z) = \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left( 1 - \frac{z}{z_i} \right) \tag{13}$$

$$e_q^{(r)}(x) \equiv \frac{d^r}{dx^r} e_q(x) = \alpha_r \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{x}{z_i^{(r)}}\right); r = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\alpha_r = \frac{r!}{[r]!}$$
(14)

$$e_{q}^{(-r)}(x) = \int^{x} dx_{1} \int^{x_{1}} dx_{2} \dots \int^{x_{r}} dx_{r} e_{q}(x_{r}) + poly.deg.(r-1), r \ge 1$$

$$\equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{(n+r)!} \frac{x^{n+r}}{[n]!}$$

$$= \left(\frac{x^{r}}{r!}\right) \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{x}{z_{i}^{(-r)}}\right)$$
(15)

$$\cos_{q}(z) \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-)^{n} \frac{z^{2n}}{[2n]!}$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \left(\frac{z}{c_{i}}\right)^{2}\right)$$
(16)

$$\sin_{q}(z) \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-)^{n} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{[2n+1]!}$$

$$= z \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \left(\frac{z}{s_{i}}\right)^{2}\right) \tag{17}$$

# 4.1 Derivation of $\ln\{e_q(z)\}$ and of the values of $\sigma_n^e \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i}\right)^n$ :

By taking the ordinary natural logarithm of

$$e_q(z) = \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \left( 1 - \frac{z}{z_i} \right), \tag{18}$$

we obtain

$$\ln\left\{e_{q}(z)\right\} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left\{1 - \frac{z}{z_{i}}\right\}$$

$$= -z\left\{\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_{i}}\right)\right\} - \frac{z^{2}}{2}\left\{\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_{i}}\right)^{2}\right\} - \frac{z^{3}}{3}\left\{\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_{i}}\right)^{3}\right\} \dots$$

$$= b(z)$$

$$(19)$$

where the function

$$b(z) \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left\{1 - \frac{z}{z_i}\right\}$$

$$= -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^e z^n, |z| < |z_1|$$
(20)

Fig. 7 of Ref. [5] shows the polar part  $\rho_i = |z_i|$  of the first 8 zeros of  $e_q(z)$  for  $\approx 0.1 < q < \approx 0.95$ . Note that  $\rho_i > \rho_{i-1} \ge \rho_1$  where  $\rho_1$  is the modulus of the first zero. The function  $b(z) = \ln \{e_q(z)\}$  is thereby expressed in terms of the sum rules for the zeros of  $e_q(z)$  since

$$\sigma_n^e \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i}\right)^n; n = 1, 2, \dots$$
 (21)

By Eq.(20), the multi-sheet Riemann surface of  $b(z) = \ln\{e_q(z)\}$  consists of logarithmic branch points at the zeros,  $z_i$ , of  $e_q(z)$ .

The basic properties of  $e_q(x)$  displayed in Fig. 1 for q=0.1 follow simply from these expressions for b(u). For instance, the zeros of  $e_q(x)$  correspond to where b(u) diverges. A sign change of  $e_q(x)$  is due to the principal-value phase change of " $+i\pi$ " at the branch point of  $\ln\left\{1-\frac{z}{z_i}\right\}$ .

Next, to evaluate these sum rules we proceed as in the above derivation of the power series

representation for  $\ln_q(1+w)$ . We simply expand both sides of

$$e_q(z) = e^{b(z)}$$

$$1 + \frac{z}{[1]!} + \frac{z^2}{[2]!} + \dots = 1 + \frac{b}{1!} + \frac{b^2}{2!} + \dots$$
(22)

Equating coefficients then gives a recursive formula<sup>5</sup> for these sum rules:

$$\sigma_n^e = -1$$

$$\sigma_n^e = n \left\{ \sum_{l=2}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l!} \left( \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} \frac{\sigma_{k_1} \sigma_{k_2} \dots \sigma_{k_l}}{k_1 k_2 \dots k_l} \right) - \frac{1}{[n]!} \right\}, n \ge 2$$
(23)

The notation in the second summation is explained following Eq.(9) for  $\ln_q(1+w)$ .

The first such sum rules are:

$$\sigma_{1}^{e} = -1$$

$$\sigma_{2}^{e} = 1 - \frac{2}{[2]!}$$

$$\sigma_{3}^{e} = -1 + \frac{3}{[2]!} - \frac{3}{[3]!}$$

$$\sigma_{4}^{e} = 1 - \frac{4}{[2]!} + \frac{4}{[3]!} - \frac{4}{[4]!} + \frac{2}{[2]![2]!}$$
(24)

The values of  $\sigma_n^e$  can also be directly obtained from

$$\sigma_n^e = n \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l} \left\{ \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} \frac{1}{[k_1]! [k_2]! \cdots [k_l]!} \right\}.$$
 (25)

Eq.(25) follows by expanding Eq.(19)

$$b(z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^e z^n = \ln(1+y)$$

$$= y - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{y^3}{3} + \dots$$
(26)

where

$$y = e_q(z) - 1$$

$$= \frac{z}{[1]!} + \frac{z^2}{[2]!} + \frac{z^3}{[3]!} + \dots$$
(27)

These  $\sigma_n^e$  sum rules can also be evaluated [5] by expanding both sides of an infinite-product representation of  $e_q(z)$ . In this way, from  $\sigma_n^e$  for the first few n, we first discovered the general formula Eq.(23) and Eq.(25). Eq.(23) describes a pattern similar to that occurring in the reversion (inversion) of power series.

and then equating coefficients of  $z^n$ .

Equivalently, these formulas can be interpreted as representations of the reciprocals of the "bracket" factorials in terms of sums of the reciprocals of the zeros of  $e_q(z)$ :

$$\frac{1}{[2]!} = \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{2}\sigma_2^e$$

$$\frac{1}{[3]!} = \frac{1}{3!} - \frac{1}{2}\sigma_2^e - \frac{1}{3}\sigma_3^e$$

$$\frac{1}{[4]!} = \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{4}\sigma_2^e - \frac{1}{3}\sigma_3^e - \frac{1}{4}\sigma_4^e + \frac{1}{8}(\sigma_2^e)^2$$
(28)

The results in this subsection also give  $\ln \{E_q(z)\}$  for the analogous  $E_q(z)$  for q > 1 by the substitution  $[n] \to [n]_J$ .

#### 4.2 Logarithms and sum rules for related q-analogue functions:

(i) For the "r-th" derivative of  $e_q(x)$ ,  $e_q^{(r)}(x) \equiv \frac{d^r}{dx^r} e_q(x)$ , we similarly obtain  $[\alpha_r \equiv \frac{r!}{[r]!}]$ 

$$\ln\left\{e_q^{(r)}(x)\right\} = \ln\alpha_r + b^{(r)}(x); r = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$b^{(r)}(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left(1 - \frac{z}{z_i^{(r)}}\right)$$
(29)

where the sum rules for the zeros of the "r-th" derivative of  $e_q(x)$  are

$$\sigma_n^{(r)} \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i^{(r)}}\right)^n. \tag{30}$$

The values of these  $e_q(z)$  derivative sum rules are

$$\sigma_{1}^{(r)} = -\frac{r+1}{[r+1]}$$

$$\sigma_{n}^{(r)} = n \left\{ \sum_{l=2}^{n} \frac{(-)^{l}}{l!} \left( \sum_{(k_{1},k_{2},\cdots k_{l})} \frac{\sigma_{k_{1}}^{(r)}\sigma_{k_{2}}^{(r)}\cdots\sigma_{k_{l}}^{(r)}}{k_{1}k_{2}\cdots k_{l}} \right) - L_{n}^{(r)} \right\}$$
(31)

where the  $L_n^{(r)}$  term is given by

$$L_n^{(r)} = \frac{(n+r)(n+r-1)\cdots(n+1)}{[n+r]!} \frac{1}{\alpha_r}$$

$$= \frac{(r+n)(r+n-1)\cdots(r+1)}{[r+n][r+n-1]\cdots[r+1]} \frac{1}{n!}$$
(32)

Equivalently,

$$\sigma_n^{(r)} = n \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l} \left\{ \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} L_{k_1}^{(r)} L_{k_2}^{(r)} \dots L_{k_l}^{(r)} \right\}$$
(33)

Thus, the "r-th" derivative of  $e_q(z)$  is

$$e_q^{(r)}(z) = \frac{r!}{[r]!} \exp\left\{b^{(r)}(z)\right\}$$
 (34)

where  $b^{(r)}(z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^{(r)} z^n$ ,  $|z| < |z_1^{(r)}|$ .

(ii) For the "r-th" integral of  $e_q(z)$  which is defined in Eq.(15), we obtain  $[\beta_r \equiv \frac{1}{r!}]$ 

$$\ln\left\{\frac{e_q^{(-r)}(x)}{x^r}\right\} = \ln\beta_r + b^{(-r)}(x); r = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$b^{(-r)}(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left(1 - \frac{z}{z_i^{(-r)}}\right)$$
(35)

where the associated sum rules are

$$\sigma_n^{(-r)} \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i^{(-r)}}\right)^n. \tag{36}$$

The values of these  $e_q(z)$  integral sum rules are

$$\sigma_{1}^{(-r)} = -\frac{1}{r+1}$$

$$\sigma_{n}^{(-r)} = n \left\{ \sum_{l=2}^{n} \frac{(-)^{l}}{l!} \left( \sum_{(k_{1},k_{2},\cdots k_{l})} \frac{\sigma_{k_{1}}^{(-r)}\sigma_{k_{2}}^{(-r)}\cdots\sigma_{k_{l}}^{(-r)}}{k_{1}k_{2}\cdots k_{l}} \right) - \frac{r!n!}{(r+n)![n]!} \right\}$$
(37)

Equivalently,

$$\sigma_n^{(-r)} = n \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l} \left\{ \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} L_{k_1}^{(-r)} L_{k_2}^{(-r)} \dots L_{k_l}^{(-r)} \right\}$$
(38)

where the  $L_m^{(-r)}$  expression

$$L_m^{(-r)} \equiv \frac{r!m!}{(r+m)![m]!} \tag{39}$$

is also the l = 1 term in Eq.(37).

Thus, the "r-th" integral of  $e_q(z)$  is

$$e_q^{(-r)}(z) = \frac{z^r}{r!} \exp\left\{b^{(-r)}(z)\right\}$$
 (40)

where  $b^{(-r)}(z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_n^{(-r)} z^n$ ,  $|z| < |z_1^{(-r)}|$ .

(iii) For the q-trigonometric functions, we obtain for the  $\cos_q(z)$  function the representation

$$cos_{q}(z) = \exp\{b^{c}(z)\}\$$

$$b^{c}(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left(1 - \left(\frac{z}{c_{i}}\right)^{2}\right) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_{2n}^{c} z^{2n}, |z| < |c_{1}|$$
(41)

where

$$\sigma_{2n}^c \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_i^2}\right)^n. \tag{42}$$

The values of the cosine sum rules are

$$\sigma_{2}^{c} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_{i}}\right)^{2} = \frac{1}{[2]!}$$

$$\sigma_{4}^{c} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_{i}}\right)^{4} = \left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{2} - \frac{2}{[4]!}$$

$$\sigma_{6}^{c} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_{i}}\right)^{6} = \left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{3} - \frac{3}{[2]![4]!} + \frac{3}{[6]!}$$

$$\sigma_{2n}^{c} = n \left\{ \sum_{l=2}^{n} \frac{(-)^{l}}{l!} \left( \sum_{(k_{1}, k_{2}, \cdots k_{l})} \frac{\sigma_{2k_{1}}^{c} \sigma_{2k_{2}}^{c} \cdots \sigma_{2k_{l}}^{c}}{k_{1} k_{2} \cdots k_{l}} \right) - \frac{(-)^{n}}{[2n]!} \right\}$$

$$(43)$$

Equivalently,

$$\sigma_{2n}^c = n \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l} \left\{ \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} L_{2k_1}^c L_{2k_2}^c \dots L_{2k_l}^c \right\}$$
(44)

where as in Eq.(43)

$$L_{2m}^c \equiv \frac{(-)^m}{[2m]!} \tag{45}$$

For the  $\sin_q(z)$  function, we find

$$\sin_q(z) = z \exp\{b^s(z)\}\$$

$$b^s(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left(1 - \left(\frac{z}{s_i}\right)^2\right) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sigma_{2n+1}^s z^{2n}, |z| < |s_1|$$
(46)

where

$$\sigma_{2n+1}^s \equiv \sum_{i=1}^\infty \left(\frac{1}{s_i^2}\right)^n. \tag{47}$$

The values of these sine sum rules are

$$\sigma_{3}^{s} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{s_{i}}\right)^{2} = \frac{1}{[3]!}$$

$$\sigma_{5}^{s} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{s_{i}}\right)^{4} = \left(\frac{1}{[3]!}\right)^{2} - \frac{2}{[5]!}$$

$$\sigma_{7}^{s} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{s_{i}}\right)^{6} = \left(\frac{1}{[3]!}\right)^{3} - \frac{3}{[3]![5]!} + \frac{3}{[7]!}$$

$$\sigma_{2n+1}^{s} = n \left\{ \sum_{l=2}^{n} \frac{(-)^{l}}{l!} \left( \sum_{(k_{1},k_{2},\cdots k_{l})} \frac{\sigma_{2k_{1}+1}^{s} \sigma_{2k_{2}+1}^{s} \cdots \sigma_{2k_{l}+1}^{s}}{k_{1}k_{2}\cdots k_{l}} \right) - \frac{(-)^{n}}{[2n+1]!} \right\}$$

$$(48)$$

Equivalently,

$$\sigma_{2n+1}^s = n \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{(-)^l}{l} \left\{ \sum_{(k_1, k_2, \dots k_l)} L_{2k_1+1}^s L_{2k_2+1}^s \dots L_{2k_l+1}^s \right\}$$
(49)

where as in Eq.(48)

$$L_{2m+1}^s \equiv \frac{(-)^m}{[2m+1]!} \tag{50}$$

# 5 Concluding Remarks:

(1) The above sum rules and logarithmic results are representation independent; i.e. they also hold for Jackson's q-exponential function  $E_q(z)$ , its derivatives, integrals, and as well for its associated trigonometric functions  $Cos_q(z)$  and  $Sin_q(z)$ . The only change is that the bracket, or deformed integer, [n] is to be replaced by  $[n]_J \equiv \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}$ .

Since [7,5] the zeros of  $E_q(z)$  for q > 1 are at

$$z_i^E = \frac{q^i}{1 - q},\tag{51}$$

simple expressions follow: The values of the associated sum rules are

$$\sigma_n^E \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z_i^E}\right)^n$$

$$= -\frac{(1-q)^n}{1-q^n}$$

$$= -\frac{(1-q)^{n-1}}{[n]_J}.$$
(52)

A power series representation for the associated natural logarithm is

$$b^{E}(z) \equiv \ln\{E_{q}(z)\}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1-q)^{n}}{n(1-q^{n})} z^{n}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1-q)^{n-1}}{n[n]_{J}} z^{n}, |z| < |\frac{q}{1-q}|.$$
(53)

For both representations, [n] and  $[n]_J$ , of the derivatives and integrals of  $e_q(z)$ , and of the  $\cos_q(z)$  and  $\sin_q(z)$  functions, asymptotic formula for their associated zeros are given in Ref.[5] so simple expressions also follow for their  $\sigma_n$ 's and b(z)'s in the regions where these asymptotic formula apply.

- (2) Useful checks on the above results and for use in applications of them include:
- (i) in the bosonic CS(coherent state) limit  $q \to 1$ , the normal numerical values must be obtained,
- (ii) in the  $q \to 0$  limit, results corresponding [9] to fermionic CS's should be obtained [this is a quick, though quite trivial, check],
- (iii) by the use of  $[n] \to [n]_J \equiv \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}$ , the known exact zeros of  $E_q(z)$  for q > 1 can be used for non-trivial checks. These zeros are at  $z_i^E = q^n/(1-q)$ .
- (3) The determination of the series expansion and a general representation for the usual natural logarithm for the q-exponential function,  $b(z) = \ln\{e_q(z)\}$ , means that the q-analogue coherent states can now be written in the form of an exponential operator acting on the vacuum state:

$$|z\rangle_{q} = N(|z|) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{n}}{\sqrt{[n]!}} |n\rangle_{q}$$

$$= N(|z|) \exp\{b(za^{+})\} |0\rangle_{q}$$
(54)

where

$$b(za^{+}) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \ln\left\{1 - \frac{za^{+}}{z_{i}}\right\}$$

$$b(za^{+}) = za^{+} - \frac{1}{[2]!}(za^{+})^{2} - \left\{\frac{1}{[3]!} - 2\left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{2}\right\}(za^{+})^{3}$$

$$- \left\{\frac{1}{[4]!} - \frac{5}{[3]![2]!} + 5\left(\frac{1}{[2]!}\right)^{3}\right\}(za^{+})^{4} + \dots$$
(55)

(4) The successful evaluations and applications of the sum rules for the q-trigonometric functions motivate the following definitions of q-analogue generalizations of the usual Bernoulli numbers:

$$\frac{2^{2n-1}}{(2n)!}B_n^q \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{s_i}\right)^{2n}$$

$$= \sigma_{2n+1}^s \tag{56}$$

$$\frac{2^{2n-1}}{(2n)!} \widetilde{B}_n^q \equiv \frac{1}{(2^{2n}-1)} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_i}\right)^{2n} \\
= \frac{1}{(2^{2n}-1)} \sigma_{2n}^c \tag{57}$$

Hence, under q-deformation, the usual Bernoulli numbers become the values of the sum rules for the reciprocals of the zeros of the q-analogue trigonometric functions,  $cos_q(z)$  and  $sin_q(z)$ . For the Riemann zeta function, these results do not yield a unique definition. However, analogous simple definitions for p complex are

$$\frac{1}{\pi^p}\zeta_q(p) \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{s_i}\right)^p \tag{58}$$

$$\frac{1}{\pi^p}\widetilde{\zeta}_q(p) \equiv \frac{1}{(2^p - 1)} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{c_i}\right)^p \tag{59}$$

"Note added in proof:" The ordinary natural logarithm of  $E_q(z)$  for 0 < q < 1 is shown to be related to a q-analogue dilogarithm,  $Li_2(z;q)$ , in [10] and in the recent survey of q-special functions by Koornwinder [11]: From Eq.(53) and  $E_s(x)E_{1/s}(-x) = 1$ , for 0 < q < 1

$$\ln\{E_q(\frac{z}{1-q})\} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(1-q^n)} z^n \equiv Li_2(z;q)$$
(60)

which is identical with Eq.(53). Formally [10],

$$\lim_{q \uparrow 1} (1 - q) Li_2(z; q) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n^2} = Li_2(z)$$
(61)

the ordinary Euler dilogarithm. Other recent works on q- exponential functions are in Refs.[12].

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#### **Figure Captions**

Figure 1: Plot showing the behaviour of the q-analogue exponential function  $e_q(x)$  for x negative. The q=0.1 curve displays the universal behaviour of  $e_q(x)$  for  $q< q_1^*(q_1^*\approx 0.14)$ . As q increases above the first collision point at  $q_1^*\approx 0.14$ , the zeros,  $\mu_i=z_i$ , collide in pairs and then move off into the complex z plane. They move off as (and remain) a complex conjugate pair. The q=0.2 curve displays the behaviour of  $e_q(x)$  after the collision of the first pair of zeros  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  but before the collision of the first pair of turning points. The first two turning points  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  collide at  $q^*\approx 0.25$ . The turning points  $\tau_i$  of  $e_q(z)$  are mapped into the branch points  $b_i$ , of  $ln_q(w)$ .

Figure 2: These two figures and Figs. 3a and 3b show the Riemann sheet structure and the mappings of Jackson's exponential function  $E_q(z)$  and of its inverse function  $Ln_q(w)$  for  $q^E = 1.09$ . For instance,  $w = E_q(z)$  maps the region labeled "1, 2, 1<sub>L</sub>, 2<sub>L</sub>"

in Fig. 2b onto the upper-half-plane (uhp) of the first w sheet for  $Ln_q(w)$ , see Fig. 3a. The turning points  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  are mapped respectively into the branch points  $b_1, b_2$  of Fig. 3a. These figures suffice to illustrate the behaviour of  $E_q(z)$  and  $Ln_q(w)$  for all  $q^E > 1$  because as  $q^E \to 1$ , the zeros and turning points of  $E_q(z)$  do not collide, but simply move along the negative x axis and out to infinity. In the complex w plane the associated branch points of  $Ln_q(w)$  all move into the origin. This limit thereby gives the usual Riemann surface for exp(z) and ln(w). Figs. 2 and 3 also illustrate the Riemann surface for  $e_q(z)$  and  $ln_q(w)$  but only prior to the collision of the first pair of zeros, i.e. for  $q < q_1^*(q_1^* \approx 0.14)$ . Figures 4-8 show the Riemann surfaces of  $e_q(z)$  and  $ln_q(w)$  for larger q values,  $q_1^* < q \le 1$ .

Figure 3: (a) The first upper sheet of  $Ln_q(w)$  for  $q^E=1.09$ . The turning points  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  in Fig. 2 for  $E_q(z)$  are mapped respectively into the square-root branch points  $b_1, b_2$  of Fig. 3a, 3b for

 $Ln_q(w)$ . An "opening spiral", instead of the usual unit circle, is the "image" of the positive y axis (the x=0 line) in Fig. 2. The first lower sheet of  $Ln_q(w)$  is the mirror image of this figure (the reflection is thru the horizontal u axis); the lower sheets corresponding to the other "upper sheet" figures in this paper are similarly obtained. (b) The second upper sheet of  $Ln_q(w)$  for  $q^E=1.09$ . Note that the opening spiral continues that in (a). The cut above the real axis from  $b_2$  to  $\infty$  goes back down to the first sheet, Fig. 3a.

Figure 4: This figure and Fig. 5 show the Riemann sheet structure and the mappings of  $e_q(z)$  and of its inverse function  $ln_q(w)$  for  $0.14 < q \approx 0.22 < 0.25$ . For this range of q, the first two zeros  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  of  $e_q(x)$  have collided and have moved off as a complex conjugate pair  $\mu_A, \mu_{\bar{A}}$ ; the  $\mu_A$  zero is marked in this figure. Note that as in Fig. 2,  $Im\{e_q(z)\}=0$  on all "solid" contour lines, whereas  $Re\{e_q(z)\}=0$  on all "dashed" coutour lines.

Figure 5: The first upper sheet for  $ln_q(w)$  for  $0.14 < q \approx 0.22 < 0.25$ . When q is increased to  $q \approx 0.25$ , the branch points  $b_1 = b_2$  coincide since the turning points  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  of Fig. 4 have collided. Then, the branch cut to the first lower sheet nolonger exists.  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  become a complex conjugate pair  $\tau_A, \tau_{\bar{A}}$  and move off into the complex z plane, as shown in Figs. 6-8.

Figure 6: This figure and Figs. 7-8 show the Riemann sheet structure and the mappings of  $e_q(z)$  and of its inverse function  $ln_q(w)$  for  $q \approx 0.35$ . The first two turning points  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  of  $e_q(x)$  have collided and have moved off as a complex conjugate pair  $\tau_A, \tau_A$ ; the  $\tau_A$  turning point is marked in this figure,  $\tau_A = -3.54 + i1.33$ . The line corresponding to the  $\alpha'\beta'$  branch cut thru  $b_A$ , see Figs. 7-8, is the wiggly line from  $\alpha$  on the x < 0 axis, thru  $\tau_A$ , and on to  $\beta$  on the  $Im\{e_q(z)\} = 0$  curve.  $\tau_A$ (and  $b_A$ ) are fixed, but  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ( $\alpha'$  and  $\beta'$ ) are simple though arbitrary positions on their respective  $Im\{e_q(z)\} = 0$  lines. The third zero  $\mu_3$  of  $e_q(z)$  is still on the x < 0 axis.

Figure 7: (a) The first upper sheet of  $ln_q(w)$  for q = 0.35. The image of the x = 0 line in the complex z plane is shown. (b) An enlargement of the first quadrant which shows the  $\alpha'\beta'$  branch cut. For clarity of illustration, the position of  $b_A$  has been displaced from its true position at  $b_A = 0.0222 + i0.0188$ .

Figure 8: The second upper sheet of  $ln_q(w)$  for q=0.35. The  $b_A$  square-root branch point only occurs on the first two upper sheets, i.e. in Fig. 7 and here. The  $\alpha'$  point (not shown) lies opposite the  $\beta'$  point and to the left of the  $b_A$  cut structure.

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